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SUBJ: REPORTING TELEGRAMS ON NPG MINISTERIAL MEETING IN MONTEREY

1. SYG LUNS' CHEF DE CABINET VAN CAMPEN CONTACTED CHARGE ON JUNE 19 TO INFORM HIM THAT TEXT OF CERTAIN MESSAGES REPORTING ON NPG MINISTERIAL MEETING AT MONTEREY HAD BEEN TRANSMITTED FROM MONTEREY OVER NATO WIDE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM (NWCS) TO NATO HQ AND ALL NATO NATIONS. VAN CAMPEN WAS CONCERNED ESPECIALLY THAT MESSAGES HAD BEEN TRANSMITTED TO PORTUGUESE GOVERNMENT. FURTHER DISCUSSION CONFIRMED THAT US REPORTING MESSAGES ON MONTEREY NPG (DTG'S 170515Z JUN 75 AND 172255Z JUN 75), ALONG WITH TEXT OF FINAL COMMUNIQUE, HAD BEEN TRANSMITTED OVER NWCS TO AIG'S 6006 AND 6007, WHICH ARE DESIGNATORS FOR MINISTRIES OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND MOD'S OF ALL NATO COUNTRIES. ADDRESSEE "MOD PARIS" HAD BEEN ADDED TO LATTER MESSAGE.

2. WE ASSUME THAT THIS SITUATION RESULTED FROM A COMMUNICATIONS ERROR, AND NOTE THAT US ACCOUNT OF PROCEEDINGS AT MONTEREY IS CONFIDENTIAL

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NOW AVAILABLE TO SEVERAL NATIONS NOT REPRESENTED AT MONTEREY, SOME OF WHICH (FRANCE, PORTUGAL, ICELAND, AND LUXEMBOURG) ARE NOT MEMBERS OF NPG.

3. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF WE WERE AUTHORIZED TO EXPLAIN
TO VAN CAMPEN AND OTHERS CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING TRANSMISSION
OF THESE MESSAGES, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF SENSITIVITIES ABOUT
PORTUGUESE ACCESS TO NPG MATERIALS. REQUEST GUIDANCE.STREATOR.

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